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kong, C. J. L. & Co. Canton.

## Arrivals.

Sept. 5, Madras, N. G. brig, 257, Stel-  
son, Hamburg, April 28, General.—SIEM-  
SEN & Co.  
Sept. 6, Anne Gray, British ship, 720,  
Mare, Kurrachee via Singapore, July 20,  
and Aug. 20, 2628 bales Cotton.—BORNEO  
CO. LIMITED.  
Sept. 6, Mary, N. G. schr., 174, Dahl,  
Antwerp, May 6, General.—Wm. Postau  
& Co.  
Sept. 7, Japan, American steamer, 4352,  
Lane, San Francisco, Yokohama, and Yo-  
kose, Aug. 3, and Sept. 1, General.—P.  
M. S. S. Co.

## Departures.

Sept. 6, Douglas, for East Coast.  
7, Formosa, for Shanghai.  
7, Mikado, for Shanghai.  
7, Gerdle, for Tientsin.  
7, Perry, for Iloilo.

## Passenger.

Per S. S. Japan from San Francisco, 3rd  
August, 1868:—  
For Yokohama:—Messrs A. Keilberg,  
Jno. A. Lamb, H. O. Kader, F. Antaya, J.  
M. Rembrandt, Wm. L. A. Beardslee, J. L.  
Hayes, N. Dana, M. G. Gill, Messrs Krow-  
der, King.  
For Shanghai:—H. E. J. Ross Browne,  
(U. S. Minister to China) and family, Alf.  
Allen, Crawford McCarthy, F. Von Richth-  
ofen, J. B. Walker, A. H. Anderson, S.  
Dalrymple, and Rev. T. W. Thompson.  
For Nagasaki:—Mr. Uke Von Kretschmer.  
For Hongkong:—Messrs David Petrie,  
Wm. Marshall, Hugh Craigton, and Miss  
Katie Heald, and arrive in Hongkong on 6th  
Sept. 130 days out. On 18th Aug.,  
in lat. 7° N., long. 106° E., spoke the Brit.  
barque Wm. Turner bound to Shanghai,  
102 days out.

## Shipping Reports.

The British ship *Anne Gray*, from Kurrachee, via Singapore, reports fine weather and light variable winds and calms nearly all the passage to Hongkong.

The North German brig *Madras*, from Hamburg, reports: crossed the Equator on 2nd June, in lat. 24° W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 6th July, in lat. 33° 26' S.; made Java head on 14th Aug.; passed Anjer on 17th; came to Gaspar Straits on 18th. In China sea till lat. 15° N., had S.W. monsoon, then light winds and calms until arrival in Hongkong on 6th Sept. 130 days out. On 18th Aug., in lat. 7° N., long. 106° E., spoke the Brit. barque Wm. Turner bound to Shanghai, 102 days out.

The North German schooner *Mary*, from Antwerp, reports fine weather; crossed the Equator on 3d June, in long. 26° W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 8th July, in lat. 37° 5' S.; made St. Paul's Island on 27th July, and Java head on 13th Aug.; passed Anjer on the same day, and came to Gaspar Straits on 18th; up China sea had light variable sea and calms till arrival in Hongkong on 6th Sept. 123 days out. In lat. 36° 49' S., long. 111° E., had very heavy gales from N.W.W. round to W., which lasted for 3 days and did some damage to ship.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamship *Japan*, Geo. E. Lane, Commander, reports left San Francisco Aug. 3rd, at 0.40 P.M. Arrived at Yokohama, Aug. 26th, 9 A.M. Time of passage 21 days, 20 hours, 40 minutes. From that port went to Yokohama to land two spare shafts for the steamers; left Yokohama Sept. 1st at 6 A.M.; arrived here Sept. 7th at 11.40 A.M. Time of passage, 6 days, 5 hours, 40 minutes. Had fine weather down after leaving Van Dieman's Straits; one death among the Chinese passengers. Embarked and brought the body to this port.

## New Advertisements.

THE LONDON INN AND BILLIARD ROOMS.

ENTRANCE FROM QUEEN'S ROAD, ABERDEEN STREET AND WELLINGTON STREET.

THE Undersigned begs to inform his Friends and the Public that the above Premises have lately been rebuilt and furnished with every convenience, including a first-class Thurston's Billiard Table; and he trusts, by a constant attention to the comfort of visit, and supplying refreshments of the best quality only, to merit a share of the public patronage.  
N.B.—Bass's or Chandler's Ale constantly on draught and supplied in quantities to suit private families or messes.  
The best English Newspapers received by every Mail.

G. W. SNEELING,  
Proprietor.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. sep11

## New Advertisements.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co. have received instruction from C. Stoney, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, at his Residence, No. 2, Bay View, on

### FRIDAY,

the 25th September, 1868, at Noon, The whole of his Elegant HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing Room, Dining Room, and Bed Room, all well furnished; Mahogany, Rosewood, and Teak, covered with Green Damask. Very handsome large size Pier Glasses on Marble top Console Tables, richly carved Marble Top Tables, and Tea Poy; Lacquered, Japan, and Porcelain Ornaments, rich Carpets, Marble top Washstands, very fine Engravings, Electro Plated Ware, Gasaliers, Glassware, etc.

A magnificent PIANOFORTE, by Doring of Hamburg.  
A 4-wheel Basket CARRIAGE and HARNESS.  
A 2-wheel American CARRIAGE and HARNESS.  
Ladies and Gen. men's Sedan CHAIRS.  
A quantity of Choice PLANTS and Garden SEATS.  
A few cases Choice WINES and surplus STORES.

The unexpired term of Lease of HOUSE and STABLING, said term expiring in March, 1870.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description whatsoever at Purchasers' risk upon full of the hammer.  
Hongkong, September 7, 1868. sep25

Per S. S. Japan from San Francisco, 3rd August, 1868:—  
For Yokohama:—Messrs A. Keilberg, Jno. A. Lamb, H. O. Kader, F. Antaya, J. M. Rembrandt, Wm. L. A. Beardslee, J. L. Hayes, N. Dana, M. G. Gill, Messrs Krowder, King.  
For Shanghai:—H. E. J. Ross Browne, (U. S. Minister to China) and family, Alf. Allen, Crawford McCarthy, F. Von Richthofen, J. B. Walker, A. H. Anderson, S. Dalrymple, and Rev. T. W. Thompson.  
For Nagasaki:—Mr. Uke Von Kretschmer.  
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PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.  
The Steamship "JAPAN,"  
Capt. G. E. LANE, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 15th instant, at 4 P.M. precisely.  
No Freight received after Noon of the 14th instant.  
Passengers are requested to be on board at 3 P.M., day of sailing.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, September 7, 1868. sep15

P. M. S. S. Co. "JAPAN" FROM SAN FRANCISCO.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN,  
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Hongkong, September 7, 1868. sep15

FOR LONDON.  
APPLICATIONS for space for Tea or Silk per Steamer "A. J. K." to London, that may be made before the departure of the next mail steamer from this to Shanghai, will be considered as positive engagements.  
BIRLEY & Co.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. tf

NOTICE.  
MR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 VIEWS OF HONGKONG, price \$25.  
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12.  
26 do. do. 10 by 8.  
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the DRAGON PROCESSION.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. tf.

NOTICE.  
THE Office of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY is REMOVED to the Store of Messrs MACLEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY" will receive prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and OAKIE constantly on hand.  
L. P. WARD,  
Proprietor.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1868. de3

A European Female, wishing to go to England by the Mail, would be glad to render service as attendant on any Lady proceeding by the same route, or to take care of Children.  
Apply "B. O. D." Office of this paper.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. tf

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE is hereby given, that, on and after the 1st of September, the prices charged in the Hotel will be as under:—  
Single Breakfast, \$1.00  
" Dinner, " 1.00  
" Dinner, " 1.50  
For Resident Boarders (in addition to the Amount charged for Lodging) \$50 per month.  
Non-Resident Boarders, \$55 per month.  
Arrangements have been made to secure the services of a First Class French Cook.  
By order of the Board of Directors.  
J. F. ROSE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, August 20, 1868. tf

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned having resigned the Secretaryship of the above named Company, the Board of Directors have appointed Mr. GEORGE N. MINO to act as Secretary and General Manager from this date.  
JOHN S. LAPRAIK.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1868. o2

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned returns thanks for past favors and would request the Gentlemen at Hongkong, that the most agreeable health inspiring treats obtainable, can be had at the Hongkong Hotel HALL DRESSING SALOON. Constant moving punkah and shower of fragrant odour, which render the body cool and comfortable.  
Hair Cutting, " 80.75.  
Shampooing, " 0.50.  
Shaving, " 0.25.  
Hair cutting and Shampooing, 1.00.  
W. P. MOORE,  
General Agent.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868. oct29

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE.  
ON and after Monday, the 31st instant, one of the Company's Steamers will be despatched from Hongkong for Canton at Eight o'clock A.M., and from Canton for Hongkong at Nine o'clock A.M., every day (Sundays excepted) until further notice.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

COOK WANTED.  
WANTED at the Hongkong Hotel, a first class FRENCH COOK, one accustomed to get up large dinners. None but a thoroughly efficient man need apply.  
Testimonials to be sent in to the Office on or before the 22nd instant.  
Hongkong, August 17, 1868. tf

WANTED.  
A MANAGER for the HONGKONG HOTEL, one who has had experience and knows how to conduct such an Establishment. Applications, with Testimonials, to be made in writing, addressed to the Directors and sent in to the Office of the Company, at the Hotel.  
Hongkong, August 19, 1868.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE DIVIDEND declared for the half-year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.  
By order of the Court of Directors,  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 13, 1868.

J. W. WOOD.  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT,  
GENERAL AVERAGE ADJUSTER,  
SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS.  
Office, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, Medical Hall, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, 25th July, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,  
Hollywood Road, next door to the Horze d'Europe, Hongkong.  
N.B.—Also Rooms to let without board commanding a delightful view of the Harbor.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1867. tf

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned having PURCHASED the interest of the LANCET STEAM BAKERY, begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Colony.  
Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.  
Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.  
Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR.  
FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or Pound.  
CAKE of all kinds baked to order.  
The above is under the Superintendence of Mr. JONATHAN PARSONS, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messrs MACLEWEN & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.  
L. P. WARD.  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

AUCTIONS.  
PUBLIC AUCTION,  
GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,  
the 8th September, at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,  
200 pieces printed Chintzes, 50 doz. Lawn Handkerchiefs, 25 pieces assorted colors Lints, 200 doz. printed Cotton

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## Auctions.

Handkerchiefs, 50 dozens Huckaback Towels, 40 pieces all wool fancy Crimean Flannels, 36 silk Umbrellas English made, 30 boxes plate Glass, 60 boxes Sperm Candles, 5 cases Bryant and May's safety Matches, 40 bolts assorted numbers repairing Canvas, 30 drums Hubbuck's spirit Turpentine, 20 drums Hubbuck's raw Linseed Oil, 80 drums Hubbuck's best pale boiled Oil, 12 Lefauchaux Revolvers and Ammunition, 2 cases Lefauchaux Cartridges, 1000 lbs. Gunpowder, 200 kegs Gunpowder, 5 cases Rifles, 25 cases pints Bass's Ale, 20 cases quarts Guinness Stout, 100 cases Cherry Cord, 50 cases Gin, 50 cases English Old Tom, 75 cases Claret, (Medoc), 50 reams foolscap Paper, and a variety of other Goods.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1868. sep8

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of DEWITT & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next, on the Ground,  
The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s HONGKONG PRATA PROPERTY, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7, and consisting of  
One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 6 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on; and a Godown below capable of holding about 2,000 Tons.  
The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Office, containing 8 Rooms, Comptroller's Quarters, Spacious Fire-proof Treasury and Godown; capable of holding about 1,000 Tons.  
One DWELLING HOUSE in the Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on; and a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons capacity.  
Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.  
These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak throughout.  
The whole of this Property to be sold either in one or more lots to suit purchasers.  
TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale, and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Transfer expenses to be borne by the purchasers.  
For further particulars or details of plans, apply to  
Messrs BRENNER & LAYCOCK,  
4, Austin Friars,  
Old Broad Street,  
London, E.C.  
Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned,  
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

## Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.  
COUNT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman, GEORGE JOHN HILLMAN, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman, GEO. F. HARRIS, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, Esq.  
SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.  
A. JOSE, Esq.  
WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq. JAS. P. DUNCANSON, Esq.  
JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq.  
And,  
E. R. BELLIOS, Esq.  
Managers,  
Hongkong, VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.  
Shanghai, DAVID MACLEWEN, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS.—London and Country Bank.

HONGKONG.  
INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "  
LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Office of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1868.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall.  
Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10% upon the whole amount for the round voyage.  
Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steamship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steamship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and Bremen Steamship Co., and North German Lloyd.

Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same dates, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamers.  
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Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow.  
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France.  
Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent. additional, at shipper's option.  
For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.  
Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

## Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW.  
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. "AZOR" will leave for the above places at 4 P.M. on Tuesday, the 8th instant.  
W. MACAULAY,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1868. sep15

FOR SHANGHAI.  
The American steamer "FUNG SHUEY," Capt. J. B. HYDRETH, will have immediate despatch as above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1868. tf

FOR NAGASAKI (direct.)  
The A 1 British barque "DON PEDRO II," Captain LAURANCE, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

FOR SAIGON.  
The A 1 French ship "EMILE," 363 tons Register, F. BASSIN Master, will meet with quick despatch.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
C. DUBOIS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868. tf

FOR NEW YORK.  
The A 1 American brig "NETTIE HASTINGS," 466 Tons Register, Hays Master, having a portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa for the above port, and have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

FOR YOKOHAMA.  
The A 1 British barque "STAR," will be despatched for the above port, on or before the 20th instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
REYNVAAN, BROTHERS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 5, 1868. td

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship "RICHARD S. ELY," 711 Tons Register, LOMBARD Master, will have quick despatch as above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BOSMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

## Notices to Consignees.

"SAVOIR FAIRE" Capt. F. HARBORD, FROM CALCUTTA.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, August 21, 1868. tf

"CHETAH" FROM LONDON.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
JOHN BURD & Co.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1868.

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.  
Ex "Donnat," 7th January, 1868.  
RT 531. 1 Case Paper.  
B 531. 3 Cases Sweetmeats.  
NO 120/122. C. BEETRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, August 8, 1868.

NOTICE.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the "Savoire Faire," Captain HARBORD, from Calcutta, are hereby informed that all Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868. tf

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.  
MR. A. DE SOUZA is this day authorised to sign our firm per procurator.  
DE SOUZA & Co.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. sep9

NOTICE.  
THE connection of Mr. L. P. with our firm ceases from this date.  
THOS. HUBBARD, Co.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868. sep30

NOTICE.  
WE have authorized Mr. CHAS. BUDDE to sign our firm from this date.  
DREYER & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE established

## For Sale.

TO HOMOEOPATHISTS, &c.  
JUNIOR, a large and well selected  
assortment of HOMOEOPATHIC  
Medicine Charts, also a large supply of the  
TINCTURES and GLOBULES, together  
with a valuable variety of BOOKS.  
GEO. GLASSE, Victoria Dispensary,  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. ocl

## CHOCOLAT MENIER.

THE above will be found a perfect luxury  
for breakfast, &c. To be had only at  
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. ocl

## JUST ARRIVED.

FOR SALE.—Per "Onward."  
Prime Fat Australian SHEEP.  
Apply on Board.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. tf

## TIDMAN'S SEA SALT.

FOR making a real Sea Water Bath in  
your own house.  
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. ocl

## FOR SALE.

Ex S.S. "TIGER."  
A FEW BAGS of Mocha COFFEE, @ 47  
per bag of 28 lb.  
Apply to  
G. DUBOIS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. tf

## JUST LANDED.

Ex "Hawcock," "Gorda" and Overland  
Mail.  
The following, viz:—  
URATE OF MAGNESIA.  
Henry's MAGNESIA.  
Lampbrush's Pyreth SALINE.  
Doctor Laville's celebrated GOUT MEDI-  
CINES.  
Bath and Cup SPONGES.  
Victoria and Cherry Tooth PASTE.  
Perfumery and Toilet REQUISITES of  
every description.  
Hand EMOLLIENTS and SAVONET-  
TES.  
Dimeford's Flesh CLOVES and RUB-  
BERS, Sultan's Bath BRUSHES.  
Pear's SOAPS in every variety and form,  
also Heurichs & Atkinson's SOAPS.  
POMMADE PHILLOMENE de la Soci-  
ete Hygienique.  
SILIMADE DIVINE for excoarations.  
POMMADE CARBON FILIBES for carrying  
in the pocket.  
Bathing CAPS, Sponge BAGS and Swim-  
ming BELTS.  
Champagne TAPS for Invalids.  
GAZOGONES and SELTZOGONES, &c.  
Doctor Equigier's celebrated Self-acting  
ENEM.  
Erasmus Wilson's Skin SOAP.  
Savory's COMPENDIUM AND FAMIL-  
IAR GUIDE, comprising plain direc-  
tions for the employment of Medi-  
cines, their Properties and Doses &c.  
GEO. GLASSE,  
The Victoria Dispensary,  
Hongkong, September 1, 1868. ocl

## JUST RECEIVED.

Ex "Emile," direct from France, and for  
Sale by the Undersigned.  
1000 PRIME Family Salt  
LARD (IRE), 100 lbs. each, \$14.  
6000 PRIME SALT PORKS, 25 lbs. each, \$8.  
6000 PRIME SALT HAMS, 45 lbs. each, \$12.  
In first rate condition and well adapted  
for Families and private Mess.  
G. DUBOIS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868. ocl

## NOTICE.

SELLING OUT.  
THE Undersigned beg to call the atten-  
tion of Ship Masters and the General  
Public that from and after this date, they  
will sell the whole of their Stock at Cost  
Price.  
The above Stock consists of Ship Chan-  
dery in all its details, House and Cooking  
Utensils, Oilman's Stores of every descrip-  
tion, Dinner and Breakfast Sets and White  
Crocheted Ware, Cabanoses, Scales, Cutlery,  
Plated Ware, Carpenters', Blacksmiths' and  
Machinists' tools, Butler Plates and Angles  
Iron, Paints, Glue, Varnish, Brandy,  
Whiskey, Gin, Rhine and English  
Wines, Liqueurs, &c., &c., &c.  
T. HOS. HUNT & Co.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1868. sep15

## PAYNE AND COMPANY,

BELATEE BUNGALOW,  
Calcutta.  
ESTABLISHED HALF A CENTURY,  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT,  
FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED  
Chutnies and Indian Condiments.  
Namely,  
Finest  
Bengal Club Chutney  
"Lucknow Chutney  
"Cashmere Chutney  
"Pindaree Chutney  
"Col. Skinner's Chutney  
"Major Gray's Chutney  
"Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, 20s  
"Mulligatawnie Paste  
"Curry Paste  
"Curry Powder  
"Tamarind Fish, 100  
"Mango Fish, 100  
"Smoked Mango Fish,  
100 in tins.  
"Chili Vinegar  
"Cayenne Pepper  
"JAMS AND JELLIES.  
2-lb. tins 1-lb. tins.  
Guava Jelly  
"Tipparee Jam  
"Preserved Lemons  
"Preserved Mangoes  
"Pine Apple Jelly  
"Pineapples  
"Pickled Limes  
"Beet Preserves  
"Beet Pickles  
"N. B.—Chutnies, Curry Powders, and  
Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of  
the Globe.  
Payne and Co.,  
Have always on hand a large Stock of  
superior MANILA CIGARETTES, of all sizes.  
Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal-  
cutta, to accompany order.  
For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount  
will be allowed, all Goods free on board in  
Calcutta.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE, AT THE CHINA SUGAR  
REFINERY, EAST POINT.  
SUGAR of the Finest Crystals, equal if  
not superior to the English Loaf, rang-  
ing from Nos. 1 & 6.  
Also GOLDEN SYRUP, double refined,  
in quantities to suit purchasers.  
WABEE & Co.  
China Sugar Refinery,  
East Point, 6th August, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.  
BOWRA & Co. have received instruc-  
tions to sell by Public Auction, on  
WEDNESDAY,  
9th September, 1868, at 11 A.M., at the  
Quarters of Purveyor JOHN MENZIES,  
Queen's Road (next building to the Com-  
missionary).  
Sundry HOUSEHOLD FURNI-  
TURE, comprising Tables, Chairs, Cou-  
ches, Bedstead, Wardrobe, etc., etc.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery.  
In Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, September 7, 1868. sep9

SPERM TO  
SHANGHAI & YOKOHAMA.  
HE P. & O. steamer  
"GANGES,"  
Captain CATES, will leave for the above  
places, at 5 P.M., To-morrow, the 8th inst.  
W. MACAULAY,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, September 7, 1868. 8 ep

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.  
SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take  
notice that the seventh call of Fifty  
Dollars on the new Stock of the above  
named Company is due on the 1st Decem-  
ber next and will be payable at the office of  
the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION, where receipts for the pay-  
ment thereof will be granted by the Man-  
ager.  
Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum  
per annum will be charged after the above  
date.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
GEORGE N. MINTO,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1868. ocl2

THE Undersigned, Proprietor of the  
newly re-opened HOTEL D'EUROPE,  
begs to inform the Public that they will find  
every accommodation at the above Hotel at  
the most reasonable charges.  
Breakfast every morning at 11.30 A.M.,  
and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.  
By order of the Proprietor,  
CHAS. FANEGE.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1868. 6 nov

NOTICE TO MARINERS.  
THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the  
Harbour of Amoy have been painted  
according to the Rule in use by the British  
Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz: to mark  
the Starboard side of Channels entering by  
"Black or Red Buoys only." The Port side  
of Channels entering by Black or Red  
Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with  
White and Middle Grounds by horizontally  
striped Buoys.  
KELLET SPIT.—North end formerly  
marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked  
by a Red Buoy.  
COKER ROCKS—formerly marked by a  
Red Buoy are now marked by a verti-  
cally striped Red and White Buoy. This  
Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to  
the S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order  
to guard vessels against Leagues of Rocks  
with 15 feet water, found to exist in that  
direction, and it may be passed close to the  
Port, and when entering the Harbour.  
The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Coker  
Rocks, has a floating Beacon on the outer  
further notice.  
NEW ROCK—in North part of Har-  
bour, and Brown's Rock are marked by  
horizontally striped Buoys.  
In case any of these Buoys are lost or  
moved, the position will be as soon as pos-  
sible be marked by a Flag boat or floating  
Beacon.  
JAMES JONES,  
Clerk in Charge.  
Office of Marine Customs,  
Amoy, August 13, 1868.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.  
MESSRS FLOYD & Co. beg most re-  
spectfully to inform their subscribers,  
that the series of Views of Hongkong, &c.,  
etc., published by them, will be ready for  
selection on Saturday next.  
In consequence of the great demand for  
these magnificent views, orders will be ex-  
ecuted in order as subscribed.  
In sets of 60, ..... \$25.  
In sets of 25, ..... 15.  
Hongkong, July 22, 1868.

PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS OF HONG  
KONG, &c., &c.  
MESSRS FLOYD & Co. are now pub-  
lishing a series of Views of Hongkong,  
Macao, Canton, Amoy, Swatow and Foo-  
chow, in two parts. These Photographs are  
produced by new Optic Instruments, by the  
best Opticians of the day, and include  
an angle of 100 degrees, or three times the  
amount of subject of the ordinary lenses  
now in use in the East, hence the neces-  
sary joining to make a complete picture.  
We intend to reduce the price to about 50  
per cent. (to Subscribers only) from our  
usual selling prices.  
Gentlemen wishing to subscribe will  
please call at our Establishment, where the  
Photographs can be inspected and further  
particulars ascertained.  
Hongkong, 21st May, 1868. tf

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents at Hongkong, Canton and  
Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG  
UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw  
attention to \$65,000 and \$127,141 of the  
"Allgemeine See-Versicherung-Bedingun-  
gen von 1867," according to which all  
documents to substantiate claims against  
the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must  
be certified by the Agents, or they will not  
be recognized.  
SIEMSEN & Co.  
Hongkong, June 15, 1868. sep19

## New Advertisements.

SAYLE & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,  
INVITE inspection of their New and well  
assorted summer Stock of  
Black and Blue BROWN CLOTHS.  
Naval and Military CLOTHS.  
Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.  
Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.  
Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.  
Quilting and Marseilles VESTINGS.  
The Tailoring Department under  
the management of first class Eng-  
lish Cutters.  
TIES and SCARFS in great variety.  
The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.  
Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.  
PAJAMAS.  
Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS.  
HOSIERY of all kinds.  
Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in  
Various Shapes.  
Household LINENS of every description.  
A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS  
of the Latest Fashion.  
French Printed CAMBRES.  
Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy  
SILK GAUZZES.  
Grenadines and other New Fabrics  
Embroidered, Printed and Made-up  
SKIRTS.  
CRINOLINES, MUSLIN EMBROIDERIES  
and LACES of all descriptions.  
Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS.  
FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.  
Ladies' and Children's UNDER-  
CLOTHING.  
Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY.  
Lisle and Silk GLOVES, &c.  
Lace and Muslin CURTAINS.  
Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

ROBSON & Co.,  
PUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING  
AND GENERAL BROKERS,  
Kobe, Hongo, JAPAN.

THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA  
& JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND  
QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN."  
EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.  
(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.)  
We acknowledge with thanks the receipt  
of the numbers for the current year of  
"Notes and Queries," a most deserving  
Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr. N.  
B. Denney, whose "Treaty Ports of China  
and Japan" are so well known. From the  
names attached to the "Notes" we can see  
that the contributors include some of the  
best Chinese scholars in the East. Its in-  
terest is not confined to China, and it will  
be of valuable assistance to all scholars who  
have directed their attention towards the  
subject of Buddhism and its literature, and  
generally to all who are interested in or-  
iental antiquities. It deserves to be better  
known in India.  
(From the "Strait Times," July 27, 1868.)  
Some time ago we had occasion to remark  
upon the progress that Literature as re-  
spected by the Press had made and was  
making in the East, and our attention has  
again been called to the subject by the re-  
ceipt of a Hongkong publication which  
deserves some notice and which we have  
much pleasure in introducing to the know-  
ledge of our readers. We allude to "Notes  
and Queries on China and Japan," published  
monthly by Mr. N. B. Denney, the proprietor of  
the "China Mail" newspaper. This publication  
is well printed on good paper, and in size  
and shape is very like its well-known names-  
ake or prototype at home, and is equally a  
mine containing very curious and useful  
information regarding the language, litera-  
ture, history, manners and customs of the  
Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese.  
It says a good deal for the extent and  
stability of the footing of Europeans in  
China, that such a publication as this  
should be established and conducted with  
apparently successful vigour.  
The publication is altogether a very in-  
teresting one, and wishing it every suc-  
cess, we commend it to the attention and support  
of our readers.  
(From the "London Examiner," May  
16, 1868.)  
This really useful volume ("Treaty Ports  
of China and Japan") is intended as a  
guide for travellers and residents in China  
and Japan, and as a book of reference for  
mercantile men generally. It contains an  
account, historical and political, of all the  
open ports of these countries, together with  
Fuking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It  
has been carefully compiled and edited by  
Mr. N. B. Denney, and the elaborate maps  
and plans, with which the work abounds,  
considerably enhance its value.  
We have thus given in outline some of  
the more prominent portions of the chapter  
devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the  
whole volume. Other chapters treating of  
Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghai, and  
the remainder of the treaty ports, we can  
only enumerate. The pages describing  
Fuking, the capital, are so interesting, and  
contain so much that is new to European  
readers respecting its history, public build-  
ings, and general characteristics, that we  
would fain transfer them to our columns.  
A complete and intelligible plan of the Im-  
perial City and neighbourhood gives us an  
accurate notion of the relative position of  
its divisions, streets, and places.  
In the introductory chapter to the notices  
of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found  
a succinct history of that empire, together  
with remarks on its government, geography,  
and limits, which will be found particularly  
interesting as throwing a considerable light  
on a part of the world so long entirely, and  
still comparatively unknown to Europeans.  
The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yo-  
kohama, and the other Treaty Ports of  
Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as  
those of the Chinese ports. A copious in-  
dex and a useful appendix containing many  
hints and much appropriate advice to tra-  
vellers and others, is also included in the  
volume. The entire work affords a vast  
amount of information, pleasantly written,  
and we doubt not will be perused with  
interest by many who will never visit the  
Eastern seas.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.  
J. R. WHITE & Co.,  
AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS,  
No. 98, Prince of Wales Road,  
Macao, July 21, 1868. ocl21

PRIVATE BOARDING ESTABLISH-  
MENT.  
At Messrs T. H. Bar & Co.,  
No. 3, Queen's Road, close to the  
Parade Ground, where the  
Charge very moderate.

NEWS AGENCY.  
J. B. MORRIS, News Agent, Hong-  
kong, being now prepared to receive  
orders for any Newspaper or Magazine  
published in England or the United  
States of America, at prices as low as  
those charged by any home agency,  
begs to solicit the support of the read-  
ing Public, and assure those who may  
favor him with their orders that the  
same shall be executed faithfully and  
promptly.  
The latest copies of the best English  
and American Newspapers received  
by every mail steamer, also the latest  
copies of the Shanghai and Japan  
papers.  
For subscription lists, with prices,  
&c.  
Apply to  
J. B. MORRIS,  
Care of Messrs Bowra & Co.,  
Hongkong, March 5, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.  
ARRIVALS.  
Sept. 6, Peru, from Whampoa.  
Sept. 7, China, Brit. steamer, 1314, Stew-  
ard; Bombay, Galle and Singapore, Aug.  
21, 26 and Sept. 2, (8 A.M.), Opium and  
Treasure.—P. & O. Co.

CLEARED.  
Pactol, for Macao.  
Matilda, for Tientsin.

PASSENGERS.  
ARRIVED.—Per P. & O. Co.'s steamship  
China, Messrs C. H. Dallas, Von Kille,  
C. Stewart, Capt. Kabay, R.N., Mr W. J.  
Whitten, R.N., Messrs C. Price, J. Lyon,  
Appu, Chew Chan, friends, children and  
servants, and 46 Chinese deck.

CANTON & WHAMPOA SHIPPING.  
ARRIVED AT CANTON.  
Sept. 4, Titania, Shanghai, General.  
China, do. do.  
Fung Shuey, do. do.

ARRIVED AT WHAMPOA.  
Sept. 3, Johanna, Tientsin, General.  
Frederick, Hongkong, Ballast.

List of Consignees of Freight per S. S.  
Japan, from San Francisco, 3d Aug. 1868:  
Treasure.—J. Charbon, Mercantile Bank  
of India, London and China; 2, Yee Wo  
Chong & Co.; 3, Lun Wo Jan; Kwong  
Chong Long; 1, Chong Wo; 1, Lee Ping;  
1, Yee Own & Co.; 7, The Comptoir  
d'Escompte de Paris; 2, Tung Tuk; 1,  
Chun Chong Wing; 1, Fook On Wo & Co.;  
1, Ling Yuen; 1, Chong Yuen; 1, Sun  
Chong Chow & Co.; 1, Kwong Yuen Loy;  
1, Wing Mow Cheong & Co.; 1, Quong  
Sin Chong & Co.; 1, Wing Chong Cut &  
Co.; 1, Lun Wo Jan & Co.; 1, Wing Chong  
Cut & Co.; 1, Quong Yee Gee; 1, Quong  
Sin Chong; 1, Wing Chong Cut & Co.; 1,  
Jardine Matheson & Co.; 1, E. Shan.  
Freight.—4, Lee Ping; 1, G. Fuller; 3,  
G. Volhard; 101, Kwong Woon Ching; 1,  
Parcel, A. Heard & Co.; 1, W. W. Sanders  
& Co.; 1, P. P. Doroteo Flores; 1, Joo. M.  
Middleton; 54, Order; 119, Fook Chong  
Ong; 10, Hung Tse Chung; 1, N. Bayer; 1  
horse, J. Russell; 7, Chong Chung; 1, W.  
M. Olmsted; 70, Olyphant & Co.; 2, A.  
Heard & Co.; 1, E. G. Sainter, Amoy; 1,  
S. E. Burrows; 1, Jardine Matheson & Co.;  
1, Russell & Co.; 10, Arnold Karberg &  
Co.; 1, Do Silver & Co.; 1, W. M. Olm-  
sted; 1, A. Allen; 22, Ong; 1, 218, Tung  
Tuk; 1, Cum Cook Yuen; 30, Fook On  
Woo; 104, Gun Chong Chan & Co.; 140,  
Yee Wong Chong; 80, Kwong Chong  
Long; 1,030, Kwong Chong Long; 111,  
Boskin Jack; 123, rder; 4, E. W. Stevens;  
4, Russell & Co.; 10, Olyphant & Co.; 21,  
Lane, Crawford & Co.; 1,182, Oriental  
Bank Corporation; 1, Wo Kee Chan; 54,  
Kwong Wo Sing.

Malva Opium for Hongkong, 226 chests.  
Shanghai, 581 "

Patna Opium for Shanghai, 807 chests.  
20 "

Patna Opium for Hongkong, 827 chests.  
16 "

From London to Hongkong, 234,923.  
Marseilles to Hongkong, 214,000.  
Singapore to Hongkong, 100,000.  
Do. to Amoy, 5,000.  
London to Shanghai, 221,400.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.  
MAILS WILL CLOSE:—  
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, —  
Per "AZOF" on Tuesday, the 8th in-  
stant, at 3 P.M.

For SHANGHAI —  
Per "GANGES" To-morrow, at 4 P.M.,  
the 8th instant.

It is hereby notified that, under the au-  
thority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st  
May last, Superintendent, or First-Class  
Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future,  
be entitled to the same privileges in regard  
to Letters sent by or addressed to them on  
their own private affairs as are at present  
enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the  
Army; and all Army Schoolmasters will be  
entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all  
but the First-Class now are) to the same  
privileges, in regard to their Letters, as are  
enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and  
Private Soldiers.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH.  
For Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow.—Per  
Azof, on Tuesday, the 8th instant, at 4 P.M.  
For Shanghai.—Per Ganges, on Tuesday,  
the 8th instant, at 3 P.M.

## QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 7th September, 1868.  
OPIUM.—Patna, New, 810  
Buenos, New, 810  
Malwa, 650 a 655-  
COTTON.—Bombay, 17 a 204  
CALCUTTA, 16 a 19

Exchange.  
Bank, 6 months' sight, 4 7/8  
Credits, 6 4/8 a 4 1/8  
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 236  
Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 236  
Shanghai, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 74  
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. 6, 8

Spices.  
Mexican, 23.00  
Gold Leaf, 22.60  
Gold Bar, 98 touch, 4.58  
English Sovereigns, 4.50  
Australian Sovereigns, 4.50  
Discount, 12 a 15  
H. & W. P. dock, Old, par.  
Do. do. New, 2 dis.  
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 17 per c. pm.  
Do. do. New, 21 p. c. pm.  
Union Dock, 17 p. c. dis. nom.

Temperature.  
HONGKONG, 7th September, 1868.  
Barometer, 29.854 29.782  
Attached Thermometer, 84 86  
Dry Bulb, 84.0 87.0  
Wet Bulb, 77.0 79.0  
Maximum S. Rgr., 77.0 90.0  
Minimum S. Rgr., 77.0 139  
Max. Sun's Rays, 139  
Minimum on Grass, 73.0  
Previous Rainfall, 0.00  
24 hours, 0.00  
Wind, E. E. E.  
Force, 3 1  
Cloud, 2 1  
Ozone, 4 3  
Weather, Fine. Fine.

No. 8, Vol. 2,  
OF  
NOTES & QUERIES  
ON  
CHINA AND JAPAN.  
Is now ready.

NOTES.—Chinese Method of observing  
Eclipses; Tabular View of Chinese Heredi-  
tary Ranks and Titles of Distinction.  
The Trinity of the Buddhists in China.  
The Population of the Chinese Empire.  
HEREDITARY GENIUS; Geological  
changes on the coast of China and Japan.  
The reign of Ping 'ti; Anti-marriage  
Associations; Growth of "Hair" on the  
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THE CHINA MAIL.  
HONGKONG, MONDAY, SEPT. 7, 1868.

AMERICA AND CHINA.  
We omit other matter prepared for these  
columns in order to make room for an  
extract which having just come to hand  
by the P. M. steamer possesses an unusual  
interest for the public; the text of the  
"new Treaty with China," as the Ameri-  
can papers name it. The so called  
Treaty, or Addendum to the existing  
treaty, is a curious document, and will  
doubtless be of much interest to archæo-  
logists in the year 2868 A.D. when China  
shall have become the Province of Eastern  
Asia, as Japan is supposed to be its fu-  
ture Great Britain. But there is little  
to be said about the production and we  
abstain from saying even that little to  
afford room for the text; which is as fol-  
lows:—

THE NEW CHINESE TREATY.  
The following is the full text of the  
Chinese-American Treaty, as just ratified  
by the United States Senate:—

ADDITIONAL ARTICLES TO THE TREATY  
BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE TA-TSING EMPIRE, OF THE 18TH  
OF JUNE, 1858.

Whereas, since the conclusion of the  
Treaty between the United States of Ameri-  
ca and the Ta-Tsing Empire (China), of the  
18th of June, 1858, circumstances have  
arisen showing the necessity of additional  
articles thereto, the President of the  
United States and the august Sovereign of  
the Ta-Tsing Empire having named for  
their plenipotentiaries the President of the  
United States of America, Wm. H. Seward,  
Secretary of State; and His Majesty the  
Emperor of China, Anson Burlingame, ac-  
credited as his Envoy Extraordinary and  
Minister Plenipotentiary, and Ch'ung-  
king and Sun Ch'iu-Ku, of the second Chinese  
rank, associated high Euywa and Ministers  
of His said Majesty; and the said Plenipo-  
tentiaries, after having exchanged their full  
powers found to be in due and proper form,  
have agreed upon the following articles:—  
Article I. His Majesty the Emperor of

China, being of the opinion that in making  
concessions to the citizens or subjects of  
foreign powers, of the privilege of residing  
on certain tracts of land, or resorting to  
certain waters of the Empire for purposes  
of trade, he has by no means relinquished  
his right of eminent domain or dominion  
over the said land and waters, hereby agrees  
that no such concession or grant shall be  
construed to give to any Power or party  
which may be at war with or hostile to the  
United States the right to attack the citizens  
of the United States or their property  
within the said lands or waters; and the  
United States, for themselves, hereby agree  
to abstain from offensively attacking the  
citizens or subjects of any Power or party,  
or their property, with which they may be  
at war, on any such tract of land or waters  
of the said Empire; but nothing in this  
article shall be construed to prevent the  
United States from resisting an attack from  
any hostile Power or party upon their  
citizens or their property. It is further  
agreed that if any Power or party shall  
hereafter be granted by the Government of  
China to the United States or their citizens  
for purposes of trade or commerce, that  
grant shall in no event be construed to  
divest the Chinese authorities of their right  
of jurisdiction over persons and property  
within said tract of land, except so far as  
the right may have been expressly relin-  
quished by treaty.

Art. 2. The United States of America  
and his Majesty the Emperor of China,  
believing that the safety and prosperity of  
commerce will thereby be best promoted,  
agree that any privilege or immunity in re-  
spect to trade or navigation within the  
Chinese dominions which may not have  
been stipulated for by treaty, shall be  
subject to the discretion of the Chinese  
Government, and shall not be regulated by  
it accordingly, but not in manner or spirit  
incompatible with the treaty stipulations  
of the parties.

Art. 3. The Emperor of China shall have  
the right to appoint Consuls at ports of the  
United States, who shall enjoy the same  
privileges and immunities as those which  
are enjoyed by public law and treaty in the  
United States by the consuls of Great  
Britain and Russia, or either of them.

Art. 4. The 20th article of the treaty of  
the 28th June, 1858, having stipulated for  
the exemption of Christian citizens of the  
United States and Chinese converts from  
persecution in China on account of their  
faith, it is further agreed, that citizens of  
the United States of every religious persua-  
sion and Chinese subjects in the United  
States shall enjoy entire liberty of conscience  
and shall be exempt from all disability or  
persecution on account of their religious  
faith or worship in either country, and  
for the purpose of the dead of widows  
natives or nationality shall be held in re-  
spect and free from disturbance or profana-  
tion.

Art. 5. The United States of America and  
the Empire of China cordially recognise the  
inherent and inalienable right of man to  
change his home and allegiance, and also the  
mutual advantage of the free migration and  
emigration of their citizens and subjects  
respectively from the one country to the  
other, for purposes of curiosity, trade, or  
permanent residents. The high contracting  
parties, therefore, join in reprobating any  
other than an entirely voluntary emigration  
for these purposes. They consequently  
agree to pass laws making it a penal offence  
for a citizen of the United States to take  
Chinese Subjects either to the United  
States or to any other foreign country, or  
for a Chinese subject to take citizens of the  
United States to China or to any other  
foreign country, without their free and vol-  
untary consent respectively.

Art. 6. Citizens of the United States  
visiting or residing in China shall enjoy the  
same privileges, immunities and exemp-  
tions in respect to travel or residence as may  
there be enjoyed by the citizens or subjects  
of the most favored nation, and, reciprocally,  
the Chinese subjects visiting or residing in  
the United States shall enjoy the same  
privileges, immunities and exemptions in  
respect to travel or residence as may  
there be enjoyed by the citizens or subjects  
of the most favored nation.

Art. 7. The United States and the Em-  
peror of China, recognizing in the present  
progress of nations a favorable tendency  
towards unity of civilization, and regarding  
a unity of money and a unity of weights and  
measures as favorable to that great object,  
do hereby agree that they will use their in-  
fluence and efforts to obtain the establish-  
ment of representative coins having a common  
value, and also a common standard of  
weights and measures for all countries.

Art. 8. The United States freely agree  
that Chinese subjects shall, without dis-  
crimination on account of their nationality or  
religion, be admitted to all schools, colleges,  
and other public educational institutions,  
without being subject to any religious or  
political test; and, on the other hand, his  
Majesty the Emperor of China agrees that  
the citizens of the United States may freely  
establish and maintain schools in that Em-  
pire at those places where foreigners are  
permitted by treaty to reside.

Art. 9. The United States, always dis-  
claiming and discouraging all practices of  
unnecessary dictation and intervention by  
any nation in the affairs or domestic au-  
thority of another, do hereby freely  
disclaim any intention or right to interfere  
in the construction of railways, telegraphs  
or other material improvements. On the  
other hand, his Majesty, the Emperor of  
China,



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WATERPROOF OVERCOATS.  
Silk Dress HATS.  
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SHIRTS with Linen Fronts  
LARS, of the latest Fashi  
A rich assortments of fancy FI  
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Bath Rooms, &c., Water and Gas  
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For Terms, apply to  
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FOR STORAGE OR TO LET  
ONE Large Dry Godown, situated  
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Moor, near the Police Station.

Apply to  
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TO LET.  
THE whole of the upper part of  
on Peddar's Wharf, at pre-  
sented by the Undersigned.  
Possession on the 15th Proxim.  
THOS. HUN

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THREE Spacious GODOWN  
for storing dry Goods; also a  
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THE Undersigned will undertake to receive and store  
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and  
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the same on STORAGE in first  
rate godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
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TO LET.  
THE OFFICE and GODOWN  
the corner of Wellington and  
Streets, and at present in the oc-  
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For particulars, apply to  
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Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

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4. COMMODIOUS HOUSES,  
Morrison Hill, commanding  
view of the Harbour, with Stable  
Apply to  
THOMAS WA  
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Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

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NOTICE.

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**THE** desirable PREMISES on  
Road, lately in the occupa-  
Asian Bank.

For particulars, apply to  
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Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

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**FIRST** Rate ROOMS for Office  
and **Living HOUSE** for Families in  
Road, No. 92, with new Veranda

whole in a thorough state of repair.  
Apply to  
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THE BUSINESS PREMISES  
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Offices, and spacious Godowns.  
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Non-poisonous LOTION  
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To be had only at  
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JEWELLERY,  
GOODS,  
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REDUCED PRICES.  
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FROCK and Walking  
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Driving GLOVES.  
KES, TIES, Cholera  
HANDKERCHIEFS.  
and Felt HATS,  
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JETS and SHOES.  
Walking STICKS, Cloth  
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Fancy SOAPS.  
of other GOODS.  
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y Road.  
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PROPERTY on Queen's  
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LUBIN'S Fine Ar-  
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By Reduced Prices, by  
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Bath Rooms, &c., Water and Gas laid on,  
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THE whole of the upper part of the house  
on Peddar's Wharf, at present occu-  
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Possession on the 15th Proximo.  
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THREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable  
for storing dry Goods; also a Freigh-  
t GODOWN capable of containing 1,000  
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tral part of Queen's Quay. Apply to  
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RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sit-  
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Westward and an easy distance from the  
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Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

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THE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road,  
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ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
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Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

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Messrs. ELMZHOFF & SANDERS.  
For particulars, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

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A COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in  
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Apply to  
THOMAS WALLACE,  
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Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

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TO LET.  
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's  
Road, lately in the occupation of the  
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For particulars, apply to  
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ing HOUSE for Families in the Queen's  
Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The  
whole in a thorough state of repair.  
Apply to  
Messrs. Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,  
Gummakers.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

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THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly  
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BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House,  
Office, and spacious Godown.  
Possession to be had on the 1st March.  
Apply to  
JOHN BURD & Co.  
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

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FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor  
Above the Office of the Underigned,  
44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by  
Messrs. C. HOOK & Co. Possession can be  
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For Terms, &c., apply to  
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A HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing  
four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent  
\$25 per month.  
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TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on  
Marine Lot No. 63.  
Apply to  
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THE Underigned is prepared to STORE  
Opium in a first class Granite Godown  
on premises situated on Praya Central.  
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THE above Dock has been in full working  
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water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet,  
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In connection with the above is the  
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Vessels requiring the services of this Tug  
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Dock, free of charge, and to tow, or new  
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All works carried on under the superin-  
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JOHN INGLIS,  
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at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-  
dress their complaints to the Office of the Com-  
pany, which will receive the immediate atten-  
tion of the Directors.  
Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

**Steam Tug.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE STEAM TUG "ISLAND QUEEN,"  
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derigned.  
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

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**JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
THE Underigned having been appointed  
Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the  
above Company are prepared to grant  
Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.  
ARMHOLD, KARBERG & Co.  
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CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.  
THE Underigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Coals in Matched, on Goods on Board  
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-  
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.  
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
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If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.  
For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
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Agents Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged on short period  
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